

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 5 December 1957		2. LOCATION Torrington, Connecticut		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 2005 GMT 06/0105Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No		6. SOURCE Civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION not reported		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS not reported		9. COURSE - - -	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Request from fictitious military unit in Roseau, Minnesota for information about an alleged UFO sighting in Torrington, Connecticut.				11. COMMENTS No military unit exists at the point of request. No info from alleged source. Unreliable report.	
12. CONCLUSIONS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other UNRELIABLE RPT <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown					



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MEMORANDUM FOR ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, INTELLIGENCE, USAF

SUBJECT: (U) Unidentified Flying Object, Torrington, Connecticut,
5 December 1957.

1. Inclosed for your information is a copy of a letter which was furnished the Office of Special Investigations by the Ground Observer Corps (GOC) Coordinator for the State of Connecticut.

2. For your additional information the GOC Coordinator advised that an alleged sighting of an unidentified flying object near Torrington, Connecticut, was reported on or about 5 December 1958. This alleged sighting was reported to Headquarters, Air Defense Command in accordance with Air Force directives. The GOC Coordinator further advised that neither he nor the addressee have any knowledge of the author of the inclosed letter.

3. Information has been received from the Army and Air Force Postal Service that no military units are located at Roseau, Minnesota. Consequently, this matter is being referred to the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

4. This letter is classified ~~SECRET~~ to protect investigative information from unauthorized disclosure.

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Mr. [REDACTED]
Torrington, Connecticut

Dear Sir:

It has been reported that you did, on or about December 5, 1957, sight an Unconventional Aerial Object at or near Torrington, Connecticut, at approximately 8:05 p.m., in company with friends.

We respectfully request your assistance in this matter. Please describe the object, giving approximate altitude, color, shape, direction of flight if any, approximate position in sky, time, date, approximate size in comparison to any coin held at arms length and duration of sighting. Did you notice any infraction of flight safety? Subject material will be held strictly confidential.

Your assistance will be immensely appreciated.

Sincerely,

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Director of Operations

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Roseau, Minnesota



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Mr. ~~████████████████████~~
Torrington, Connecticut

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